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Applicant : Neil S. Cutshall and Kraig M. Yager  
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NICOTINANILIDE-N-OXIDES

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**AMENDMENT**

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2006, please amend the application as shown on the attached pages.